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it and I...my interest in this goes back quite a ways and I was involved in some...some rather long hearings on it a couple three years ago and, following that, we tried to get the guidelines revisited because there seem to be some aberrations and problems with the guidelines, and we've been unable to get that done, been unable to get any progress. And so I...and we've had a couple suggestions made before that this be turned over to our own Research Office here and I didn't think that was a good idea. I really think this is a good suggestion and, sure, it costs a little bit of money, but the cost of this for what will be accomplished is just...is just insignificant. This is a huge problem and it's a problem that really needs good unbiased, competent attention and I think that, hopefully, will be the result of your bill, and so I rise to also...just want to strongly support the bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate? Seeing none, Senator Crosby, you're recognized to close on the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, just briefly. Between now and Select File I will visit with...I have visited with young farmers and I understand what Senator Wehrbein is saying and we can look at...and also we'll look at the terms of office and that kind of thing. So I do appreciate the discussion and will appreciate your vote to move the bill. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Heard the closing. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 407 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Have you all voted who care to? Please record.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 407.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: LB 407 advances. Items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Government reports LR 18CA to General File; LB...Health Committee reports (LB) 115 to General File with amendments; Revenue reports (LB) 383 to General File with amendments, (LB) 539, General File with amendments. Revenue also reports (LB) 139, (LB) 180, (LB) 384,